

# THE ATLANTA REGIONAL MED WEEK CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2008

## Sunday, August 3

**Event:** MED Week in the Faith Community  
**Place:** Local Faith Institutions  
**Time:** Morning Worship Hour  
**Contact(s):** Katherine Roth  
404-730-2018

**Event:** MED Week Kick-off  
**Place:** Turner Field - Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 1:35 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Sabrina Jenkins  
**Cost:** Invitation Only\*

## Monday, August 4

**Event:** Financial Requirements for Loans Exceeding \$500K  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
**Location:** World Trade Center  
303 Peachtree Street, NE  
LL Suite 100, Suntrust Plaza  
Atlanta, GA  
**Cost:** Invitation Only\*

**Event:** 26th Annual MED Week Awards Luncheon  
“The Power of Strategic Alliances  
in the Global Economy”  
**Place:** 755 Club @ Turner Field  
Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 12:00 noon  
**Contact(s):** Yvonne Wiltz (404) 347-1054  
Leona Barr-Davenport  
(404) 584-8126  
**Cost:** \$100 (reserved seating)  
\$75 (open seating)

## Tuesday, August 5

**Event:** Buyer’s Tour  
**Place:** Selected Minority-Owned  
Businesses in the Atlanta Metro Area  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Rodney Baker - (404) 931-7022  
Lee Ann Riley - (404) 516-5437  
Sponsored by Doverstaffing, Inc.  
**Cost:** Invitation Only\*

**Event:** Taste of Fulton County  
**Place:** Fulton County Government  
Building 141 Pryor Street  
Atlanta, GA 30303  
**Time:** 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Bebe Love  
(404) 730-6300  
Casandra Burns  
(404) 730-6316

## Wednesday, August 6

**Event:** Learn How to Become a Preferred Contractor for Walmart –  
“We Invite You to Work With Us”  
**Place:** Atlanta Marriott Downtown  
160 Spring Street  
Atlanta, GA 30303  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Sherry Roe/Debbie Gilmore  
1-800-830-3182  
**Cost:** None

## Thursday, August 7

**Event:** Med Week International Trade Day  
**Place:** World Trade Center  
303 Peachtree Street, NE  
LL Suite 100, Suntrust Plaza  
Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Reception will follow from 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.  
**Cost:** Free  
**Contact(s):** Joann J. Hill  
(404) 730-3300

**Event:** Connections, Celebration, Community –  
Minority Business Enterprises:  
Performing and Prospering  
*\*\*Sponsored by the Georgia Statewide MBEC*  
**Place:** Amore Restaurant  
950 West Peachtree Street., NW  
Suite 220, Atlanta, GA 30309  
**Time:** 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Donna Ennis  
(404) 894-2096  
**Cost:** Invitation Only\*

## Monday-Friday, August 18-22

**Event:** MED Week Metro Area  
Power Luncheon Series  
**Place:** Cobb, South Metro, Fulton, Dekalb &  
Gwinnett Counties  
**Time:** 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Michael T. Hill  
(770) 374-6226  
**Cost:** \$10 members / \$15 guests

## Wednesday, August 20

**Event:** 101 on How to Get on the GSA Schedule  
**Place:** 401 West Peachtree Street, NW,  
Atlanta, GA 30135  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
**Contact(s):** Dinora Gonzalez  
(404) 331-30514  
**Cost:** None

## Thursday, August 21

**Event:** DeKalb County Business  
Procurement and Lender Expo  
**Place:** Holiday Inn Decatur  
Conference Plaza  
130 Clairmont Avenue  
Decatur, GA 30030  
**Contact(s):** Aquita Patillo or Debra Brewer  
(404) 371-4795 or  
email at contract@co.dekalb.ga.us  
**Time:** 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**Cost:** None

## Wednesday, August 27

**Event:** GHCC MED Week Luncheon  
**Place:** World Trade Center  
Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Sandra Font/Rodrigo Infante  
(404) 929-9998  
**Cost:** \$40

## Wednesday - Friday, September 3, 4, 5

**Event:** National MED Week Conference  
**Place:** Omni Shoreham - Washington, DC  
**Contact:** www.medweek.gov or (404) 730-3300

## Tuesday, September 9

**Event:** Moving Your Business Forward:  
Finance & Technology  
**Place:** Georgia Institute of Technology  
Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
**Cost:** \$45  
**Contact(s):** Pat Lottier/Allison Slocum  
(770) 587-0501 ext. 200

## Tuesday, September 16

**Event:** Atlanta Business League 24th Annual  
“Super Tuesday Conference”  
**Place:** Hyatt Regency - Atlanta, GA  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Carol Johnson or Rebecca Temple  
(404) 584-8126  
**Cost:** \$100 (open seating)  
\$125 (reserved seating)  
\$750 (small business table)  
\$1000 (corporate business table)

## Thursday, September 18

**Event:** MED Week Business In School Day  
**Place:** Selected Schools in the Atlanta MSA  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**Contact(s):** Katherine Roth  
(404) 730-2018  
Aquita Patillo  
(404) 371-2248  
Bernie Lawrence Watkins  
(404) 593-2077

## Wednesday - Friday, October 8

**Event:** 13th Annual Booker T. Washington  
Economic Development Summit  
**Place:** Kellogg Hotel and Conference  
Center, Tuskegee University  
**Contact(s):** Nickey Jefferson, Summit Coord.  
(334) 421-1586  
Jacqueline Brown, Fiscal Officer  
(334) 727-8818  
www.tuskegee.edu/btwsummit

## Thursday, October 9

**Event:** Moving Your Business Forward:  
Finance & Technology  
**Place:** Columbus State University  
Columbus, GA  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
**Cost:** \$45  
**Contact(s):** Pat Lottier/Allison Slocum  
(770) 587-0501 ext. 200

## Southeastern Region MED Week 2008 Calendar of Events

### Alabama MBOC

**Date:** September (date TBA)  
**Location:** Birmingham, AL  
**Contact:** Alex Alvarez  
(205) 957-9779

### Alabama MBEC

(partnering with the MS MBEC)

**Date:** August 21  
**Location:** Bishop State Community College  
Central Campus - Mobile, AL  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
**Cost:** \$25 MBE \$50 Corporate  
**Contact:** Gayle Boykin  
(251) 433-2250

### Florida MBOC

(partnering with FL Minority Supplier Dev. Council)

**Date:** August 14  
**Location:** Orlando, FL  
**Contact:** Nancy Straw  
(407) 245-6495

### Florida MBEC

**Date:** October 22-24  
**Location:** Miami, FL / Ft. Lauderdale, FL  
**Contact:** Marie Gill  
(786) 316-0888

### Georgia MBEC

**Date:** August 7  
**Location:** Amore Restaurant - Atlanta, GA  
**Contact:** Donna Ennis  
(404) 894-2096  
**Cost:** \*Invitation Only

### North Carolina MBEC

**Date:** October 6-10  
**Location:** Durham, NC / Raleigh, NC  
**Contact:** Dan Stafford  
(919) 287-3198

### South Carolina MBEC

**Date:** June 27  
**Location:** Charleston, SC

**Date:** August 4-6  
**Location:** Anderson, SC

**Date:** September 30 – October 1  
**Location:** Columbia, SC  
**Contact:** Diane Sumpter  
(803) 743-1142

### Kentucky

**Workshop:** Women and Entrepreneurship

**Date:** Wednesday, July 30, 2008  
**Location:** The NIA Center  
2900 West Broadway  
Louisville, Kentucky 40204  
**Org.:** Louisville Metro Office for Women  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
**Contact (s):** Metro Louisville Office for Women  
502-574-5360



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